

**EXHIBIT A
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Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

This is what we need to do.....

To: Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>, Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Cc: Roger Ver <Roger@bitinstant.com>, Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 7:49 PM

I know lots of people that could help you make this happen. This is an area where FirstMark (or any VC) would also be incredibly helpful from an access/capital/credibility perspective. We should discuss once you move resolve the FirstMark stuff one way or another.

BTW, are you guys in the office tomorrow? I could use some help with creating a "cold" wallet.

Ira Miller

From: Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>
Date: Sat, 29 Dec 2012 23:30:32 -0500
To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Cc: Roger Ver <roger@bitinstant.com>, [\[REDACTED\]](#), [\[REDACTED\]](#), Ira Miller
Subject: Re: This is what we need to do.....
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Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

This is what we need to do.....

Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:05 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>, Roger Ver <Roger@bitinstant.com>, Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Hey,

I'm having coffee really early with Larry. We should be losing around 2pm depending on how busy we are, but Erik is away visiting his family. Ira and I can work with you, what time were you thinking?

/Charlie

Sent from my iPhone 5

On Dec 30, 2012, at 7:49 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

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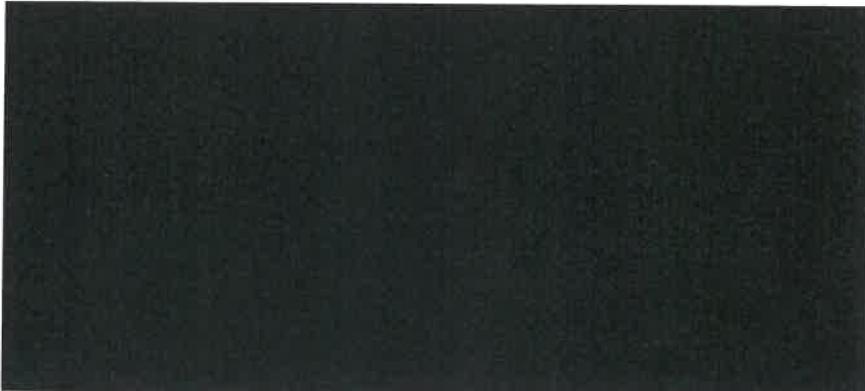


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Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:08 PM

Cool. I'm taking tomorrow off, so just tell me what time is good for you and Ira and I'll swing by. Thx!

[REDACTED]

From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Date: Sun, 30 Dec 2012 20:05:00 -0500

Cc: Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>, Roger Ver <roger@bitinstant.com>, Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>
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Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:13 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

How's noon?

/Charlie

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Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:17 PM

Great. See you then



From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Date: 2012 20:13:01 -0500

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

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Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:23 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Awesome!

/Charlie

Sent from my iPhone 5

On Dec 30, 2012, at 8:17 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

Great. See you then

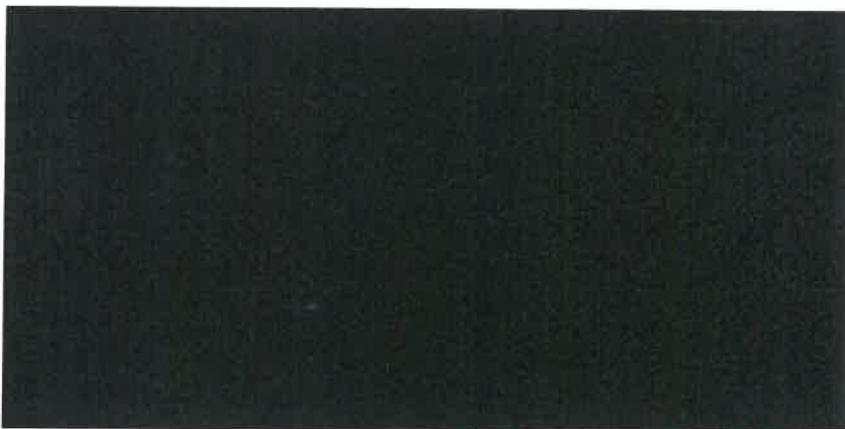


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Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>
To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Cc: [REDACTED]

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 9:36 PM

I'll be there, but my laptop screen just broke. Good thing we bought that netbook for setting up cold storage wallets.

-Ira

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To: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Cc: [REDACTED]

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 9:55 PM

Cool!

Thanks,

Charlie

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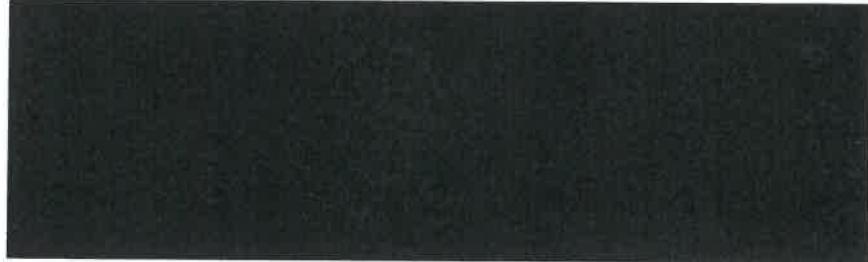
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To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 9:47 AM

Guys — to expedite, should I send my coins to any particular address now? I trust you and don't mind it being a BitInstant address



From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Date: Sun, 30 Dec 2012 20:23:14 -0500

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Hey [REDACTED], how many coins?

/Charlie

Sent from my iPhone 5

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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 9:57 AM

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From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 09:55:38 -0500

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Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 10:31 AM

Hey send to: 1Shremdh9tVop1gxMzJ7baHxp6XX2WWRW

Thanks,

Charlie

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To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:04 AM

Ugh. Blockchain appears to be down

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From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 10:31:38 -0500

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To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:36 AM

Hey, did you get it working?

Thanks,

Charlie

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[REDACTED]
To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:38 AM

Nope, site still down



From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:36:33 -0500

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To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:39 AM

Ya, its on/off here as well.

Thanks,

Charlie

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[REDACTED]
To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:41 AM

Yeah, great timing. How late will you guys be in the office today?

[REDACTED]

From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:39:22 -0500

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Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:42 AM

You were our last meeting actually. Are your funds on blockchain? If not, we dont need to use it.

Thanks,

Charlie

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Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:48 AM

Not sure what you mean. I use the Blockchain e-wallet

[REDACTED]

From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:42:54 -0500

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Ya, thats what I was asking, if your funds were on blockchain.

Looks like its down, wanna reschedule to Wens?

Thanks,

Charlie

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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:59 AM

Thurs is better for me. Before 9:30 am or 10:45 am – 11:30 am

[REDACTED]

From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:57:05 -0500

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To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>
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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:00 PM

Just started working...give me three mins to see if I can send



From: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:57:05 -0500

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To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:02 PM

OK

Thanks,

Charlie

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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:02 PM

Sent!

[REDACTED]

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Got it! Coming?

Thanks,

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Be there in 3 mins



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btw, that is soooo fucking cool that I just sent \$65,000 in two minutes with no fee!

[REDACTED]

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To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

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Welcome to Bitcoin :)

Thanks,

Charlie

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